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58, (New) The method according to claim 52, further comprising:

detecting a dynamic range of an amount of movement of each cardiac wall contour
division or division point; and

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allocating a display color used for displaying the speed information of heartbeats on a
display screen to the dynamic range.--

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application as presently amended and in light of the
following discussion is respectfully requested.

Newly submitted Claims 40-58 directed to the species of Figs. 51-69 are active in this
case, original Claims 1-39 having been canceled by way of the present Preliminary
Amendment. No new matter has been added.

Examination on the merits of Claims 40-58 is believed to be in order, and an early and
favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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